

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI
CENTRAL DIVISION
(*Electronically Filed*)**

MILDRED BALDWIN and	:	
DOUGLAS DYRSSEN SR.,	:	
On Behalf of Themselves and All Others	:	
Similarly Situated,	:	
 Plaintiffs,		
 v.	:	Case No. 2:21-cv-04066-WJE
 NATIONAL WESTERN LIFE INSURANCE		:
COMPANY		:
 Defendant.		:
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**PLAINTIFFS' UNOPPOSED MOTION
FOR LEAVE TO FILE EXCESS PAGES FOR THEIR
SUGGESTIONS IN SUPPORT OF THEIR UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR FINAL
APPROVAL OF CLASS ACTION SETTLEMENT**

Pursuant to this Court's Local Rule 7, Plaintiffs Mildred Baldwin and Douglas Dyrssen Sr., individually and on behalf of others similarly situated ("Plaintiffs"), by and through counsel of record, request leave of Court to file their Suggestions in Support of their Motion for Preliminary Approval of Class Action Settlement (the "Motion for Preliminary Approval") in excess of the 15-page limit established by Local Rule 7(d)(1)(A).

In support of this motion (the "Motion for Leave"), Plaintiffs state as follows:

1. Plaintiffs will file on April 6, 2022 their Motion for Preliminary Approval.
2. Given the number and scope of the issues that a party is required to address under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 23 for final approval of a class action settlement, Plaintiffs believe that the 15-page limit under this Court's Local Rules for suggestions in support of motions is insufficient for the Suggestions in Support of the Motion for Final Approval.

3. While it may not seem (from the *seriatim* requests for page extensions) as though Plaintiffs are mindful of the well-settled maxim that “brevity is the soul of wit,” Plaintiffs have endeavored to be succinct in their briefing, but came up short.

4. Plaintiffs therefore request that the Court grant them leave to submit 17 pages for their Suggestions in Support of the Motion for Preliminary Approval.

5. Defendant’s counsel has indicated to Plaintiff’s counsel that Defendant does not oppose Plaintiffs’ request to submit 17 pages for its Suggestions in Support of their Motion for Final Approval.

6. This Motion for Leave is filed in good faith, and not for the purpose of oppression, harassment, or delay.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiffs respectfully request that the Court grant this Motion for Leave, and permit Plaintiffs to file their Suggestions in Support of their Motion for Preliminary Approval of Class Action Settlement up to and including 17 pages, and such other relief as this Court deems just and proper.

Dated: April 6, 2022

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that on April 6, 2022, the foregoing document was filed via the Court's ECF system, which will cause a true and correct copy of the same to be served electronically on all ECF-registered counsel of record.

/s/ David K. Lietz _____

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